#### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Date

August 6, 2003

In re the Application of

Takeshi SUZUKI

Group Art Unit:

Application No.: 10/029,210

Examiner:

H. Nguyen

2851

Filed:

December 28, 2001

Docket No.:

111606

For:

PROJECTION OPTICAL SYSTEM AND EXPOSURE APPARATUS WITH THE SAME

# LARGE ENTITY PETITION FOR 1<sup>st</sup> - 3<sup>rd</sup> EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) AND TRANSMITTAL OF FEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response to the outstanding Official Action in the above-identified patent application. The shortened statutory period having expired May 13, 2003, an extension of time for a period of three months is hereby requested. Attached hereto is our Check No. 144975 in the amount of \$930.00 in payment for:

<del></del>	Extension fee for response within first month pursuant to §1.136(a) (\$110.00)
	Extension fee for response within second month pursuant to §1.136(a) (\$410.00)
X	Extension fee for response within third month pursuant to \$1.136(a) (\$930.00)

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 15-0461. Two copies of this petition are enclosed.

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Please grant any extension necessary for entry; Charge any fee due to our Deposit Account No. 15-0461

#### **PATENT APPLICATION**

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Attorney Docket No.: 111606

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

H. Nguyen

Group Art Unit: 2851

Examiner:

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

- Entitlement to small entity status is hereby asserted.
- Small entity status of this application has been established.

The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)			
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA			
TOTAL CLAIMS	*21 MINUS	**20	=1			
INDEP CLAIMS	*2 MINUS	***3	=0			
☐ FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM						

SMALL ENTITY				
RATE	ADD'L FEE			
x 9	\$			
x 42	\$			
+140	\$			
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	x 18	\$	18		
	x 84	\$			
OR	+280	\$			
		\$	18		

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The "Highest Number Previously Paid For" in this space (Total or Independent) is the highest number found from the equivalent box in Column 1 of a prior Amendment or the number of claims originally filed.

Check No. 144974 in the amount of \$18.00 is attached. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees that may be required to complete this filing, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 15-0461. Two duplicate copies of this sheet are attached.

Respectfully, submitted

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Date: August 6, 2003



## PATENT APPLICATION

Group Art Unit: 285

Examiner: H. Nguye

Docket No.: 111606

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# **AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

For:

In reply to the February 13, 2003 Office Action, the shortened statutory period for reply being extended by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims;

Amendments to the Drawings include attached replacement sheets;

Remarks.

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